



JUDICIAL LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP FOR FEMALE JUDICIAL OFFICERS 13 – 15 April 2007



Alumni of the United States Embassy's International Visitors Leadership Programme held a workshop focusing on judicial leadership from Friday, 13 April 2007 to Sunday, 15 April 2007. The primary objective was to strengthen leadership skills of female judicial officers. The workshop covered topics such as leadership, public speaking, business meetings, dress and body language, effective judicial writing, mentoring and coaching.

The 20 participants included the female chief magistrates, regional court presidents, and women in the national or provincial executives of ARMSA, JOASA, and IAWJ (SA Chapter). The workshop was funded with a grant received through the office of the cultural attaché, ms Mary Ellen Koenig, who arranged the workshop together with ms Sheila Goodgall from her office, and the Alumni of the International Visitor Leadership Programme, Jakkie Wessels, Belinda Molamu, and Seka Monaledi.

The participants felt that the workshop was inspiring, well-organized, informative and well-presented.